

1. 39 Page English Appln., including 8 Claims and Abstract of the Disclosure;
2. 3 Sheets of Drawings, Figs. 1-3;
3. Declaration/Power of Attorney (3 Pgs.);
4. Recordal Cover Sheet w/ Ex. Mail ID;
5. Assignment Document;
6. Information Disclosure Statement w/ Ex. Mail ID;
7. Form PTO-1449 (6 Pgs.);
8. 33 References (as identified on PTO-1449); and
9. Check - Amt. \$410.00 - No. 3835 (Filing Fee w/ Assignment - Small Entity).

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**Fee Calculation:**

Basic Filing Fee: \$ 740.00  
Total No. of Claims Filed: 8 (-20) = 0 x \$18.00 \$  
Total No. of Independent  
Claims Filed: 2 (- 3) = 0 x \$84.00 \$  
Multiple Dependent Claims (if present):  
**Sub-Total:** \$ 740.00  
**SMALL ENTITY (if applicable)**  
**REDUCE FILING FEE BY 50%:** \$ 370.00  
  
Assignment (if applicable): \$ 40.00  
  
**TOTAL FEE:** \$ 410.00


Kindly acknowledge receipt of the above items by having your mail room date-stamp and return the attached postcard with a serial number.

Further, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of the application to Deposit Account No. 14-1431.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

The Assignee, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, is a NON-PROFIT ORGANIZATION and, therefore, qualifies for SMALL ENTITY status. Please indicate said status of this application on the Official Filing Receipt.

Respectfully submitted,



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